No.2747/DAC/S3/2025/SCSP GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY DEPARTMENT OF ART AND CULTURE ***

Puducherry, dt. 15.05.2025

<u>ORDER</u>

Sub: DAC - Scheme – Financial Assistance to SC indigent artistes and the dependent spouse of the deceased indigent artistes distinguished in performing visual arts – Expenditure Sanction - Accorded.

- Ref: 1. G.O.Ms.8 dt. 19.01.2022 of the Under Secretary to Govt. (Art & Culture), Puducherry.
 - 2. Order.No.2747/DAC/S.3/2015/SCSP, dated. 20.06.2022 of the Director, (Art & Culture), Puducherry.
 - 3. Order.No.2747/DAC/S.3/2015/SCSP, dated. 13.06.2023 of the Director, (Art & Culture), Puducherry.
 - 4. Order.No.2747/DAC/S.3/2015/SCSP, dated. 06.05.2024 of the Director, (Art & Culture), Puducherry.
 - 5. I.D.No.2747/DAC/S.3/2025/SCSP, dated. 30.04.2025 of the Director, (Art & Culture), Puducherry.

In exercise of the powers re-delegated in G.O.Ms.No.47/F3/2014 dated 09.12.2014 Annexure –II Sl. No.1 of the Finance Department, Puducherry, Sanction of the Secretary (Art & Culture) is hereby conveyed to incur an expenditure not exceeding **Rs. 3,22,800/- (Rupees three lakhs twenty two thousand and eight hundred only)** towards the payment of financial assistance to 8 SC indigent artistes of Puducherry region and 1 SC Indigent artiste of Karaikal region for the period from April 2025 to March 2026 (12 months) as detailed in the Annexure – I&II to this order as follows:

Puducherry Region SCSP: 8 beneficiaries

Age	No. of	Amount x No. of	Total in
C	beneficiaries	months	Rs.
Upto 59	1	1x2,150x12	Rs. 25,800/-
Between 60-79	4	4x2,700x12	Rs.1,29,600/-
80 and above	3	3x3,750x12	Rs. 1,35,000/-
Total	8		Rs. 2,90,400/-

Karaikal Region SCSP: 1 beneficiary.

υ.	Total		Rs.32,400/-
Between 60-79	1	1x2,700x12	Rs.32,400/-
8	beneficiaries	months	Rs.
Age	No. of	Amount x No. of	Total in

Grand total Rs.2,90,400 + Rs.32,400= Rs.3,22,800/-

Sanction of the Secretary (Art & Culture) is also hereby accorded to incur expenditure on 2. monthly basis out of the amount sanctioned in para 1 above, as per monthly requirement, by the Drawing and Disbursing Officer concerned of the respective region of the Department of Art & Culture, for payment of financial assistance to the beneficiaries through bank under ECS every month.

The expenditure is debitable to the following Head of Account in the Budget. 3.

"2205 - Art & Culture - 789 Special Component Plan for Scheduled Castes - 789 (04) Financial Assistance to persons distinguished in letters, arts and persons distinguished in performing arts - 789(04)(01) - Puducherry Region (49) Other Revenue Expenditure.

- Rs.2,90,400-

"2205 - Art & Culture - 789 Special Component Plan for Scheduled Castes - 789 (04) Financial Assistance to persons distinguished in letters, arts and persons distinguished in performing arts etc. -789(04)(02) -- Rs. 32,400/-Karaikal Region (49) Other Revenue Expenditure.

This issues with the approval of the Secretary (Art & Culture), Puducherry vide I.D.No. 4. No.2747/DAC/S3/SCP/2025 dt.30.04.2025.

> (K. MURALIDHARAN) UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVT. (ART & CULTURE)

To

The Director of Art & Culture, Puducherry.

Copy to: .

- 1. The Director of Accounts & Treasuries, Puducherry.
- 2. The Dy. Director of Accounts & Treasuries, Karaikal.
- 3. The A.L.I.O.Puducherry/Karaikal.
- 4. The Drawing and Disbursing Officer, Dte. of Art & Culture, Puducherry.
- 5. The Principal Account General (Audit -I), Chennai.
- 6. The Dy. Accountant General, O/o of the PAG (Audit -I), Puducherry.
- 7. The Central Records Branch, Puducherry.
- G.O. file/Budget Section /Bill section/Spare. 8.

ANNEXURE -- I

Puducherry Region (SCSP)

It is certified that as per the records/documents the following beneficiations are eligible to receive the financial assistance.

SI. No.	Name of Indigent Artistes	Age	Commu nity	Field	Amount Rs. payable per month
1.	P. Anandhan S/o. Poongavanam	58	SC	Therukoothu	2,150/-
2.	A.Vijayanveeran S/o. Arikrishnan	73	SC	Therukoothu	2,700/-
3.	D. Jayakumar S/o. BhagavanDuraikannu	74	SC	Tabla	2,700/
4.	P.Bakiri S/o. Poovan	74	SC	Thavil	2,700/
5.	R.Muthulingam S/o. Rajavel	75	SC	Therukoothu	2,700/
6.	C. Arumugam S/o. Chokkalingam	87	SC	Therukoothu	3,750/
7.	P.Krishnan S/o. Perumal	89	SC	Therukoothu	3,750/
8.	Brem Rajaram S/o. Brem Muthaiyan	92	SC	Folk	3,750/
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				For 12 Months	Rs.2,90,400/-

List of Existing SCP Indigent Artistes - 2025

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ANNEXURE -II

Karaikal Region SCSP

Sl.No.	Name	Age	Field	Amount Rs. payable per month
1.	P. Chandirasekaran S/o. K. Pichai	66	Drama	2,700/-
		For	2 months	Rs.32,400/-

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